

DIVIDED OVER BRITISH RULE

Two Factions Have Arisen
In India and Each
Seeks Power.

BOTH MEET SAME DAY

One Wants Independence
And Other British De-
velopment.

London.—Two factions are fighting for supremacy in India—one for Indian independence and the other to maintain British authority and development.

No better reflex of this situation can be found than simultaneous meetings recently at Amritsar (where British soldiers are alleged to have massacred unarmed men and women) one for, one against British control.

Hakim Ajmal Khan, president of the Moslem league, reviewed British "Prussianism," and dealing with questions affecting the Caliphate and other holy places in the Ottoman empire said:

"Muslims cannot be expected to forget that over these lands, the cradle of Islam, no non-Muslim can have the semblance of right to mandatory or other rule."

8,000 Loyalists Meet.

In another part of the city 8,000 delegates to an Indian national congress thanked the King of England for the grant of a new system of Indian government and welcomed the forthcoming visit of the Prince of Wales.

James Brett, writer on Indian affairs, asserts that Britain never deliberately set about to conquer the East, but just "got let in for it," not because England wanted to govern India and the rest of those lands, but because England merely wanted to trade and do business there. He continues:

"But at the mere touch of the West and Western ideas the Mogul Empire, the most powerful government established in India during 1,000 years, collapsed like a house of cards."

Fortified Factories.

"There was no secure government. Our unhappy traders had to fortify their factories and depots. And from that seed have grown our Indian Empire and all our present interests in the East."

"Every administrator, from Clive and Hastings onward, has tried to avoid taking over the government of new territories, has done his best to keep out of them, and when forced in the interest of our ideals to pacify them, has preferred to buttress up some native ruler rather than the rule of the British Empire."

"And the native ruler has not been fit for the job, the old anarchy has now returned, and it has meant another little march for the British soldier."

Annexations Forced.

The writer points out that despite official instructions not to encroach upon native authority, the force of circumstances caused annexations right and left from Baluchistan to Burma, to uphold Western idealism.

"So," concludes Mr. Brett, "there will be more trouble in the East—lots more. And we shall not be able to help it. And, ultimately, it will be very good for the East."

And that means Egypt, Mesopotamia, Sudan, Persia and the Indian frontier.

Hungary to Be Monarchy As Slap at Radicalism, Premier Hussar Avers

Berlin, Feb. 6.—The Hungarian national assembly, which convenes for its first session on February 14, will restore Hungary to the monarchy as a natural reaction from the worst form of radicalism—under Bela Kun—to the other extreme—dynastic rule.

This prediction is made in a personal telegram just received from Premier Hussar, in which he says:

"The result of the Hungarian national elections means a complete victory of the Christian and National parties, and the men thus elected by the will of the Hungarian people will undoubtedly restore Hungary to the monarchical form of government."

"This may well be regarded as a reaction produced by the soviet rule under Bela Kun. It would be premature today to speak of the future of Hungary, as the draft of the peace treaty presented to us delivers the country of all essential conditions of existence, and the treaty cannot be accepted without considerable modification."

"It would be equally premature to speak now of the man who may become the head of the Hungarian state, for his election will be the right and the duty of the nation through its elected representatives constituting the national assembly."

THE BOYS IN THE OTHER CAR

By GROVE



IMMIGRANTS IN GREAT DEMAND

Competition for Man Power
Keen Among
Nations.

New York, Feb. 6.—With the United States, Europe, Canada and some of the South American countries clamoring for new man-power, competition for immigration is today practically on the same footing as the world struggle for commercial supremacy.

This is revealed as a result of a study made by the Inter-Racial Council of New York and described in a statement soon to be issued. The statement says:

"The present shortage of foreign-born unskilled workers, due to the lack of immigration during the war and the emigration to home countries, proposed anti-alien legislation and other causes, calls attention to the fact that the United States is not the only country offering economic opportunities to the immigrant labor of the world."

"The Canadian government appropriates several hundred thousand dollars annually to care for and encourage immigration to Canada. Agents are stationed in the principal European cities. They have their traveling exhibits for Canada's opportunities. The government pays bonuses to steamship offices for selling passage tickets to Canada."

"Austrian provinces are assisting immigration. New Zealand arranges with the shipping companies for reduced fares for desirable immigrants."

"Argentina is receiving large numbers of Italians, Spaniards and French. Free land is given to the newcomers. Naturalized citizens are exempted from military service for ten years."

"Brazil's immigration laws will not only give free passage to all who come to its ports as immigrants, but will care for them on arrival, transport them to their destination, provide them with tools and seeds and supply them with medicine and care for their families."

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No Ban on Smokes If Seattle Names Woman as Mayor



Mrs. Sanford Bertrand Ricahy believes that she is particularly qualified to harmonize conflicting elements in Seattle's political situation and has accordingly announced her intention of making the race for mayor. She says she will not object to councilmen smoking during official sessions, since she, as the picture shows, indulges at times in the cigarette.

Canadian Loan \$628,032,000.

Ottawa—Final returns of the Canadian Victory loan of 1919 have just been announced, and show total subscriptions of \$628,032,000. The number of subscribers was 830,600. While the total number of subscribers is much less than in the loan of 1915, the individual subscriptions are greater, being an average of \$821.70 as compared with \$629.80. In ratio of applicants to population Ontario led all the provinces with one in 5.5. British Columbia was second, with one in 7.5.

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THINKS GOVERNOR IS HER BEST PLAYMATE



Gov. Edward I. Edwards, of New Jersey, who took office January 20, forgets business and politics when his granddaughter, Elizabeth, climbs on his chair. They were photographed together January 12, at the Edwards home in Jersey City.

VIRGINIA BREVITIES

had the endorsement of Gov. Davis and State Health Commissioner Williams, proposing a recess of twelve days during the influenza epidemic, was voted down in the house of delegates. The condition in Richmond is really serious, as the number of cases is growing daily. At Roanoke and Danville the increase in the number of cases is alarming. At Danville the Memorial Hospital, where Jefferson Davis held his last cabinet meeting, has been opened by city health authorities as an emergency hospital for victims of the disease.

Norfolk.—The St. Luke's Church property here has been sold for \$606,000.

Danville.—Plans are being made by Danville Masons to rebuild the Masonic Temple, which was destroyed by fire several weeks ago.

Norfolk.—Loss of \$250,000 was caused by a fire which destroyed a part of the Anheuser-Busch cold storage plant here.

Charlottesville.—Miss Virginia Breeden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Breeden, died at her home here.

Poconchos.—Miss Hattie Pearce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Pearce, died at a hospital in Huntington, W. Va.

Charlottesville.—John S. Tilman, president of the Chamber of Commerce, died at his home here from pneumonia.

Salem.—The Carpenter Cottage, a part of the Baptist Orphanage here, was badly damaged by fire. The cottage was used as a home for boys.

Harrisonburg.—There are 300 cases of influenza in Rockingham County, and fifty cases in Harrisonburg.

Lynchburg.—An increase of 23 per cent in the pay of Lynchburg teachers has been granted.

Roanoke.—Organized labor here is greatly interested in a co-operative store which will be opened soon. Many men in industrial plants have staked all their savings in the enterprise.

Norfolk.—The heavy rain during the storms of the past week, has brought relief to this city, which has been suffering from a water shortage for several weeks.

Ejected from Hotel, Jury Awards \$2,000

New York, Feb. 6.—A jury in Justice Charles B. Sears' part of the Supreme Court today returned a verdict for \$2,000 against the management of the Hotel Biltmore in the \$5,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Robert W. Herwig for ejection from the hotel June 27, 1918.

Mrs. Herwig had registered at the hotel several days before the arrival of her husband, Capt. Robert W. Herwig, a West Point graduate, who had been transferred from Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. The husband went to his wife's apartment at the hotel, they said, and later went to the theater. They returned to the apartment, and it is alleged, were ejected at 3 o'clock in the morning, despite the fact that Mr. Herwig's brother-in-law, Commander Benjamin Dutton, of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, came to prove the identity of the couple when the management ordered them out.

Winchester News

Winchester, Va., Feb. 6.—By some oversight or negligence, the new code of Virginia carries no provision for women to act as deputy court clerk, and unless an amendment is passed by the general Assembly, now in session, a large number of young women of the state will give up their positions. They may still be employed, however, as typists and stenographers. The Association of Court Clerks of Virginia is seeking to have the old laws re-enacted.

The Rev. Robert A. Goodwin arrived here yesterday to take up his work as rector of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, succeeding the Rev. Dr. W. D. Smith, now of St. Mark's Church, Richmond. The Rev. Mr. Goodwin was until recently stationed at Aldie, Va. He was a chaplain in the American Expeditionary Force, and had previously been engaged in missionary work in China. Christ Church is one of the wealthiest in the Virginia diocese and carries on much missionary work in the Blue Ridge Mountains.

Railroad and highway traffic has been further demoralized by another snowstorm, which began early last evening, and as a result railroad trains were today maintaining a schedule with great difficulty, while many turnpikes and country roads are blocked by the snow. About nine inches of snow fell during the first storm on Wednesday night, and today it was a foot deep on level ground. Drifts four and five feet deep were encountered in the country districts by motorists and truck drivers, who were forced to turn back.

Owing to the overcrowded condition of the state colony for epileptics and feeble-minded at Madison Heights, near Lynchburg, Va., Dr. Joseph T. Mastin, secretary of the state board of charities and corrections, will confer with the directors of the Western State Hospital at Staunton with a view to having future patients sent to the latter institution until the General Assembly can provide for enlarging the Madison Heights colony. A letter received from Dr. A. S. Priddy, superintendent, states that patients cannot be received now, and that there is a long waiting list. The only other place at present in the county farm.

Mrs. Marie E. Robinson, 24 years old, wife of Mack Robinson, and daughter of Taylor Redmon, Warren County, Va., died in Memorial Hospital here, where she was to have been operated upon. She was a sister of her husband's first wife, the latter having died several years ago.

Mrs. Ida Virginia Diffeenderfer, 61 years old, wife of L. McKim Diffeenderfer, a prominent contractor, and daughter of the late George M. Anderson, died at her home here, following a long illness. Surviving are her husband, one daughter, Miss Eliza Diffeenderfer; one brother, John J. Anderson, and two sisters, Mrs. Hunt B. Grim and Mrs. C. B. Grim.

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